

**Notice of Determination**

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**SUBJECT: Filing of Notice of Determination pursuant to Public Resources Code section 21108**

**State Clearinghouse Number:** 2019059117

**Project Title:** Berkshire Creek Restoration Project (Lake or Streambed Alteration Agreement No. 1600-2019-0041-R5)

**Project Location (include county):** The project is located at Berkshire Creek, in the County of Los Angeles, State of California; Section #07, Township #01N, Range #12W, U.S. Geological Survey (USGS) quad map Pasadena, San Bernardino Meridian

**Project Description:** The California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) has executed Lake and Streambed Alteration Agreement number 1600-2019-0041-R5, pursuant to section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to the project Applicant, the City of Pasadena Public Works Department. The project is limited to the installation of a new system to manage low and high flows in the Berkshire Creek Drainage. The project will install a dry well that will capture and infiltrate the first flush of rain water, and a low and high flow inlet that will convey storm flows. A box culvert will be installed to direct the high flows 110 linear feet downstream. At the box culvert outlet, an energy dissipating apron consisting of embedded ungrouted boulders will be installed. Concrete grade control structures will be keyed into the box culvert to control the water speed downstream of low flow outlet. Upon completion of structure installations, the banks will be recontoured and revegetated with native species. The project will also install a free spanning bridge to serve pedestrian and equestrian traffic.

This is to advise that CDFW, acting as a Responsible Agency, approved the above described project on 9/13/2019 and has made the following determinations regarding the project pursuant to California Code of Regulations section 15096, subdivision (i):

1. The project will not have a significant effect on the environment. This determination is limited to effects within CDFW's permitting jurisdiction as a Responsible Agency.
2. CDFW considered the  mitigated negative declaration /  negative declaration prepared by the Lead Agency for this project pursuant to California Code of Regulations section 15096, subdivision (f).
3. Mitigation measures  were /  were not made a condition of CDFW's approval of the project.
4. A mitigation reporting or monitoring plan  was /  was not adopted by CDFW for this project.
5. A statement of overriding considerations was not adopted by CDFW for this project.
6. Findings were not made by CDFW pursuant to California Code of Regulations section 15091.

The  mitigated negative declaration /  negative declaration prepared for the project is available to the general public at the office location listed above for the Lead Agency. CDFW's record of project approval as Responsible Agency is available at CDFW's regional office.

Signature

Date:

9-18-2019

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Governor's Office of Planning & Research

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